1: Holmberg--58 (1941-42) 1950 Siriono
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"A childless woman stands at the bottom of the status hierarchy within the family."

1: Holmberg--65 (1941-42) 1950 Siriono
116, 842

"With respect to conception, there is no lack of knowledge that it is caused by sexual intercourse. All informants agreed that a woman could have a child by no other means. But no crystallized theories of how the process takes place have been formulated. Constant interviewing on this subject yielded nothing but negative results."

1: Holmberg--76 [7] (1941-42) 1950 Siriono
116, 842, 826, 858

"Males are definitely preferred. A pregnant woman always expresses a desire to give birth to a boy. The preference for males, however, is not much reflected in the amount of love or care given an infant. Parents spend as much time fondling a girl as a boy. Even clubfooted children and other deformed infants are shown no lack of partiality in this respect."

2: Holmberg--225 (1941-42) 1946 Siriono
116, 842

"If asked the sex of her infant, a mother proudly holds up a boy and demonstrates his penis; if her infant is a girl, she contents herself merely with replying 'eréN' ('Vulva', i.e., female)."